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EO/DD/I Diary

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Friday, 14 November 1952

1. Attended Professional Selection Panel meeting and, after almost two hours of discussion, it was decided to refer the following question to the Career Board at its next meeting:

"Is the Panel to review and recommend turn-down cases or to accept the 'one-way valve' concept that turn-downs by I&S, Medical and Personnel may not be questioned?"

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2. Followed up with [REDACTED] FI, who is endeavoring to get a copy of the Saigon conference Agenda. He tells me that he has part of the Agenda but not that part submitted by the French. He suggests that the meeting with CI and RR be deferred until Monday by which time he expects to have the French submission. Checked this with [REDACTED] and Sheldon who agreed to wait for a Monday meeting.

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4. [REDACTED] called to say that General Strong will be here on the 19th. and expects to see the DCI on the 21st. He asked to be advised if there is anything that he can do in regard to this meeting. I told him I know of nothing, but would call him if something should come up.

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